

REMARKS

Applicants have reviewed the claims in light of the Examiner's objection and believe they have been fully responsive thereto by way of the foregoing amendments. Of course, Applicants are open to any further suggestions for non-limiting claim amendments.

The indication of the allowability of Claims 13, 15, 16, 17, 19, 22 and 23 is noted with appreciation. Rewriting of these claims into independent form has been held in abeyance based on the following reconsideration request.

In particular, the rejection of Claims 11, 12, 14, 18, 20 and 21 as being unpatentable over Besson in view of Knoll et al is respectfully traversed. Applicants have amended Claim 11 to specify the simultaneous nature of the analog and digital displays as pointed out at [0034] of the Substitute Specification.

Notwithstanding how the teachings of Knoll et al and Besson are characterized in the Office Action and even assuming, purely for argument's sake, their combinability in a Section 103(a) sense, the resulting hypothetical control system would not simultaneously assign two entries to a settable parameter. The prior art didn't recognize that such a feature would allow the user to display the preferred mode when setting the parameter.

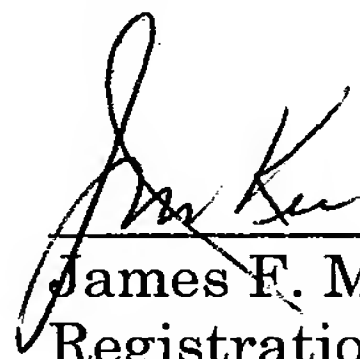
Accordingly, a *prima face* case of obviousness has not been made with respect to the amended claims. Therefore, early and favorable action is now earnestly solicited.

If there are any questions regarding this amendment or the application in general, a telephone call to the undersigned would be appreciated since this should expedite the prosecution of the application for all concerned.

If necessary to effect a timely response, this paper should be considered as a petition for an Extension of Time sufficient to effect a timely response, and please charge any deficiency in fees or credit any overpayments to Deposit Account No. 05-1323 (Docket #095309.57935US).

Respectfully submitted,

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